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St. Croix Valley Natural Gas Company, Inc.

PRINCIPAL OFFICE

212 North Main Street, River Falls, WI 54022

FOR THE YEAR ENDED

December 31, 2001

ELECTRIC, WATER, OR GAS UTILITY

TO

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SIGNATURE PAGE

I, <u>Donald J. Piepgras</u>, of <u>St. Croix Valley Natural Gas Company</u>, <u>Inc.</u>, certify that I am the person responsible for accounts, that I have examined the following report and to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, it is a correct statement of the business and affairs of said utility for the period covered by the report in respect to each and every matter set forth therein.

(Signature)

(Date)

Donald J. Piepgras President

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IDENTIFICATION AND OWNERSHIP

Exact Utility Name:

St. Croix Valley Natural Gas Company

Utility Address:

212 N. Main Street, River Falls, WI 54022

When was the utility organized?

May 18, 1962

Report any change in name and the effective date.

None.

Officer in charge of correspondence concerning this report

Name:

Donald J. Piepgras, President

Office address:

P.O. Box 6, River Falls, WI 54022

Telephone:

(715) 425-6177

Give name and address of individual or firm, if other than utility employee, preparing this report:

Stienessen, Schlegel & Co., LLC

2411 N. Hillcrest Pkwy, P.O. Box 810, Eau Claire, WI 54072

(715) 832-3425

List companies owned, controlled, or operated and form and extent of such ownership, control or operation.

None.

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

Name, Title/Occupation and Business Address	Length of Term	Term Expires	Meetings Attended
Donald J. Piepgras President* and Treasurer*			1
Martha W. Piepgras. Vice President* and Secretary*			1
Vernon Lindquist Assistant Secretary*			1
Judith Snoeyenbos Assistant Treasurer			0
Dr. Richard P. Piepgras*			1
*Terms are continuous			

COMMON STOCKHOLDERS

From the stockholder list nearest the end of the year report the greater of: 1) the ten largest shareholders of voting securities or 2) all shareholders owning 5% or more of voting securities. List names, addresses and shareholdings. If any stock is held by a nominee give known particulars as to the beneficiary. (See s.196.795(1)(c), Wis. Stats., for definition of beneficiary).

Pate of stockholder's list nearest end of year *Number of stockholders on above date: *Number of stockholders in Wisconsin:	<u>Common - 4</u> <u>Common - 3</u>	<u>Preferred - 0</u> <u>Preferred - 0</u> <u>Preferred - 0</u> Common - 99.86%	Total - 4 Total - 3 Preferred - N/A
Percent of outstanding stock owned by Wis	sconsin stockholder	rs Common - <u>99.86</u> %	Preferred - N/A

^{*}include shares held by depositories (if known)

Name and address		No. of shares common stock
Donald J. Piepgras		300,866
1619 Golf View Drive		
River Falls, WI 54022		
Martha W. Piepgras		15,500
1619 Golf View Drive		
River Falls, WI 54022		450
Dr. Richard P. Piepgras	'	450
9913 Legionville Drive North		
Brainerd, MN 56401		100
Vernon E. and/or Freda Lindquist		100
119 E. Union St. Apt. 115		
River Falls, WI 54022		216.016
	TOTAL	316,916

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INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT

INCOME AND RETA	TARD RAM	Page	This Year	Last Year
Particulars		rage	Tills Tear	Dube 1 cm
UTILITY OPERATING INCOME	Acct. No.			e 201 646
Operating Revenues	400	G-1	6,368,384	5,701,646
Operating Expenses			6001 200	5 200 912
Operation expense	401	G-3	6,021,382	5,309,813 33,225
Maintenance expense	402	G-3	41,838	125,382
Depreciation expense	403	G-1	134,269	123,302
Amortization expense	404-406			
Amortization of property losses	407		79,726	68,566
Taxes other than income taxes	408.1	G-1	19,120	
Income taxes	409.1	G-1		
Invest. tax cr., defer. to future periods	412.1			
Invest . tax cr., restored to oper. income	412.2	G-1	6,304,167	5,536,986
Total operating expenses		G-1	64,217	164,660
Operating income	413	F-3		
Income from utility plant leased to others	414	F-3		-
Gains (losses) from disp. of utility property	414			164,660
Total operating income			64,217	104,000
OTHER INCOME AND DEDUCTIONS				
Other Income:	415 416	F-2	19,162	30,004
Income from merch., jobbing and contr. work	415-416 417	F-3	15,102	-
Income from non-utility operations	417	F-3	(143)	-
Nonoperating rental income	419	F-3	(6,508)	3,994
Interest and dividend income	420	1 -		
Allowance for funds used during construct.	421	F-3	56,540	344
Misc. nonoperating income Gains (losses) from disposition of property	422	F-3	(18,394)	(6,142)
Total other income			50,657	28,200
Other income deductions:				
Miscellaneous amortization	425	F-3		
Miscellaneous income deductions	426	F-3	8,699	7,122
Total other income deductions			8,699	7,122
Taxes applicable to Other Income and Deductions				
Taxes other than income taxes	408.2			
Income taxes	409.2			
Investment tax cr., nonutility oper., net	412.4			
Total taxes on other income & ded.				
Net other income and deductions			41,958	21,078
INTEREST CHARGES				
Interest on long-term debt	427		36,047	36,292
Amortization of debt discount and expense	428		741	741
Amortization of debt discount and expenses Amortization of premium on debt Cr.	429			
Interest on debt to assoc. companies	430	·		
Other interest expense	431		22,377	11,761
Total interest charges			59,165	48,794
			47,010	136,944
Income before extraordinary items		<u> </u>	17,010	
EXTRAORDINARY ITEMS	433			
Extraordinary income	433		 	
Extraordinary deductions	409.3	 		
Income taxes, extraordinary items	409.3	 	 	-
Total extraordinary items		 	-	
Net Income		<u> </u>	47,010	136,944

INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT (Cont.)

Account	Acct. No.	Page	This Year	Last Year
RETAINED EARNINGS				
Unappropriated retained earnings (at beginning of period	l)		692,322	583,267
Change:				
Balance transferred from income	435	ì	47,010	136,944
Appropriations of retained earnings	436		ĺ	
Dividends declared preferred stock	437			
Dividends declared - common stock	438		(102,963)	(27,889)
Adjustments to retained earnings	439	1		(, , , , , ,
Net charge to retained earnings			(55,953)	109,055
Unappropriated retained earnings (at end of period)			636,369	692,322

INCOME FROM MERCH., JOBBING & CONTRACT WORK (Accts. 415-416)

Particulars	Water	Other	Total
Revenues from merch., jobbing and contract work:			
Gross Sales		45,224	45,224
Deductions:			
Discounts and allowances	İ		
Merchandise returns			
Total deductions			
Net Sales		45,224	45,224
Cost of Merchandise sold		26,062	26,062
Gross profit from sales	1	19,162	19,162
Expenses (list hereunder expenses by major classes):			-
			-
			•
			-
Total expenses		26,062	26,062
Net Income (or loss) before taxes		19,162	19,162

OTHER INCOME

Report hereunder income and expenses relating to accounts 413, 414, 417, 418, 419, 421, and	_
each account Description of Income or Expense	Amount
Description of Income of Expense	
Income from utility plant leased to others (413):	·
-NONE-	
Total (413)	
Income from disposition of utility property (414):	
-NONE-	
Total (414)	
Income from nonutility operations (417):	
-NONE-	
-110112	
Total (417)	
Nonoperating rental income (418):	
Rental Income - Nonutility	(143)
Rental Expense - Nonutility	(143)
Total (418)	(143)
Interest and dividend income (419):	(6,508)
Interest income	(0,508)
	(6,508)
Total (419)	
Miscellaneous nonoperating income (421):	56,540
Rental income - other	30,340
Officer's Life Insurance	56,540
Total (421)	30,340
Income from disposition of property (422):	(10.204)
Non-utility Property	(18,394)
	(18,394)
Total (422)	(10,547)

MISCELLANEOUS INCOME DEDUCTIONS

Amount
2,304
1,715
4,680
8,699

BALANCE SHEET

Assets and Other Debits	Page No.	Balance end of year	Balance first of year
UTILITY PLANT			or jean
Utility plant (100)	F-8	4 065 220	4.04.
Less accumulated provision for deprec. and	1 -0	4,865,228	4,017,560
amortization of utility plant (110)	F-8	2,732,878	0.610.160
Net utility plant	1 -	2,132,350	2,618,162
OTHER PROPERTY AND INVESTMENTS		2,132,330	1,399,398
Nonutility property (121)			
Less accumulated prov. for deprec. and amort. of	F-11	-	145,442
nonutility property (122)	F-11	-	-
Net nonutility property			
Other investments (124)	F-9		145,442
Special funds (125)	F-9	100	100
Total other property and investments	F-9	23,750	22,280
CURRENT AND ACCRUED ASSETS	 	23,850	167,822
Cash and working funds (131)	1 1		
Femporary cash investments (132)	1 1	39,776	43,158
Notes receivable (141)	1 -0 1	1	54,969
Customer accounts receivable (142)	F-9 F-9		-
Other accounts receivable (143)	F-9	669,414	1,648,756
Accum. provision for uncollectible acctscr. (144)	F-10	- (4.000)	. •
Notes receivable from associated companies (145)	F-9	(4,000)	(4,000)
accts. receivable from associated companies (146)	F-9	-	-
faterials and supplies (154)	F-10	50,566	41.005
las storage (164)	F-10	50,500	41,305
repayments (165)	F-10	88,232	- 56 570
Total current and accrued assets		843,988	56,578 1,840,766
EFERRED DEBITS		0.0,500	1,840,700
namortized debt discount and expense (181)	F-11	494	1 226
ktraordinary property losses (182)	F-11	494	1,236
ther deferred debits (183)	F-11	99.027	70 151
Total deferred debits		99,521	78,454 79,690
Total assets and other debits		3,099,709	3,487,676

NOTES TO BALANCE SHEET

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BALANCE SHEET, Cont.

	Page No.	Balance end of year	Balance first of year
Liabilities and other credits	Tage No.	Durance end or just	
PROPRIETARY CAPITAL	F-12	316,916	316,916
Common capital stock (201)	F-12	510,510	
Preferred capital stock (204)	F-12	120,539	120,539
Other paid-in capital (207)		120,337	===,===
Installments received on capital stock (212)			
Capital stock expense (214)	F-12	636,369	692,322
Retained earnings (215 - 216)	F-12	050,505	0,2,022
Reacquired capital stock (217)			
Non-corporate proprietorship (218)		1,073,824	1,129,777
Total proprietary capital		1,073,624	1,122,777
LONG-TERM DEBT			
	F-12	-	-
Bonds (221) Advances from associated companies (223)	F-12	-	-
Advances from associated companies (225)	F-12	892,735	417,307
Total long-term debt		892,735	417,307
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	F-13	93,583	296,145
Notes payable (231)	1-15	891,495	1,669,598
Accounts payable (232)	F-13	-	-
Notes payable to associated companies (233)	F-13		-
Accounts payable to associated companies (234)	1-15	17,778	13,127
Customer deposits (235)	F-13	33,005	33,005
Taxes accrued (236)	F-14	-	-
Interest accrued (237)	1 1 1	(10,746)	(181,653)
Other current and accrued liabilities (238)		1,025,115	1,830,222
Total current and accrued liabilities			
DEFERRED CREDITS		Marie	
Unamortized premium on debt (251)	F-11	-	109,875
Customer advances for construction (252)		107,481	495
Other deferred credits (253)		555	493
Accumulated deferred investment tax credits (255)	F-14	100 026	110,370
Total deferred credits		108,036	110,570
OPERATING RESERVES			
Property insurance reserve (261)			
Injuries and damages reserve (262)			:
Pensions and benefits reserve (263)			
Miscellaneous operating reserves (265)		L	
Total operating reserves		-	
CONTRIBUTIONS IN AID OF CONSTRUCTION	F-15	_	-
Contributions in aid of construction (271)	1-13	3,099,710	3,487,676
Total liabilities and other credits		3,022,710	

NOTES TO BALANCE SHEET

RETURN ON COMMON EQUITY COMPUTATION

Report data on a corporate basis; not a consolidated basis.				
	Thousan	Thousands of dollars		
Description		Common Equity		
	Common Equity	Plus ITC		
Average Common Equity:	1			
(based on monthly averages if available, otherwise				
use average of beginning and end of year)				
Common Stock Outstanding	317	2017		
Premium on Capital Stock	121	121		
Capital Stock Expense		The state of the s		
Retained Earnings	745	745		
Deferred Investment Tax Credit		A STATE OF THE PROPERTY OF THE		
Other (Specify)				
Total Average Common Stock Equity (Sum of Lines Above)	1183	1183		
Net Income:				
Add:	1			
Net Income	47			
Other (Specify):	7			
Less:				
referred Dividends	1	•		
Other (Specify):				
djusted Net Income	47			
ercent Return on Equity (to nearest hundredth of a percent)	3.97%	3.97%		

RETURN ON RATE BASE COMPUTATION

Report data on a corporate basis; not a consolidated basis.		Thousands o	of Dollars	
Average Rate Base	Electric	Gas	Other	Total
Add Average:				
Utility Plant in Service		4440		4440
Allocation of Common Plant				
Completed Const. not Classif.	i			
Nuclear Fuel				
Materials and Supplies		46		46
Other (Specify)				
Less Average:	:			
Reserve for Depreciation		(2675)		-2675
Amortization Reserves	[
Customer Advances For Construction				
Contributions in Aid of Construction				
Other				
Average Net Rate Base		1811		1811
RETURN				
Total Operating Income	İ	64		64
Less: (Specify)				
Adjusted Operating Income		64		64
Adjusted Operating Income as a Percent of Average Net Rate	j		ŀ	
Base (Rounded To Nearest Hundredth of a Percent)		3.53%		3.53%

REVENUES SUBJECT TO WISCONSIN REMAINDER ASSESSMENT

REVEROUS SUBJECT TO WISCOTTON	
Report data necessary to calculate revenue subject to Wisconsin remainder assessment. For purposes	of this
schedule "out-of-state" and "in-state" refer to the geographic state of Wisconsin	
Description	This Year
Operating revenues - see G-1	6,368,384
Less: out-of-state operating revenues	·
Less: in-state interdepartmental sales	
Less: current year write-offs of uncollectible accounts - Wisconsin utility customers only	(19,436)
Plus: current year collection of Wisconsin utility customer accounts previously written off	3,387
Other	
Revenues subject to Wisconsin remainder assessment	6,352,335

NET UTILITY PLANT

Report utility plant accounts and related accumulated provisions for depreciation and amortization by utility departments after allocation of common plant accounts and related provisions for depreciation and amortization to utility departments as of December 31.

Particulars Particulars	Water	Other	Total
Plant accounts (101-109):			70141
Utility plant in service (101) - see G-5		4,862,414	4,862,414
Construction work in progress (107)		2,814	2,814
Other - (105)		2,011	2,014
	1		-
Total utility plant (100)		4,865,228	4,865,228
Accumulated prov. for deprec. & amortization of utility plant (110)		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	2,732,878
Net utility plant			2,132,350

ACCUM. PROV. FOR DEPREC. & AMORTIZATION OF UTILITY PLANT

Particulars	Water	Other	Total
Balance first of year		2,618,162	2,618,162
Credits during year:			
Accruals charged depreciation account	l l	161,220	161,220
Accruals charged other accounts (specify):		[101,220
Salvage		111	111
Other credits (specify):		··· E	
Total credits		161,331	161,331
Total		2,779,493	2,779,493
Debits during year:			_
Book cost of plant retired	ł	(19,825)	(19,825)
Cost of removal		(11,111)	(15,025)
Other debits (Specify):	1	<u> </u>	_
CIAC Amortization		(26,790)	(26,790)
Total debits		(46,615)	(46,615)
Balance end of year		2,732,878	2,732,878

Year Ended Dec. 31, 2001

OTHER INVESTMENTS AND SPECIAL FUNDS (Accts. 124 & 125)

Show total by accounts. Description of Security or Special Fund	Face or par value	Book cost end of year
Other Investments (124):		
Prescott Civic and Development Corporation		100
Total		100
Special Funds (125):		
Cash Surrender Value of Life Insurance		23,750
Total		23,750

NOTES AND ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE (Accts. 141-146)

Report hereunder notes and accounts receivable included in accounts 141, 142, 143, 145, and 146.				
Particulars	Accounts Receivable	Notes Receivable		
Customer accounts receivable (142):				
Electric	1			
Water				
Gas	669,414			
Heating				
Merchandising, jobbing and contract work	(60.414			
Total customer accounts receivable	669,414			
List below items included in accounts 141, 143, 145 and 146,				
showing total for each account.				
Notes receivable (141) (list):				
None				
Total	-			
Other accounts receivable (143) (list):				
Total	-			
Notes receivable from assoc. comp. (145) (list):				
Total	-			
Accts. receivable from assoc. comp. (146) (list):		in the second se		
Total	-			

ACCUM. PROV. FOR UNCOLLECTIBLE ACCTS. (Acct. 144)

Particulars Particulars	Amount
Balance first of year	4,000
Add:	
Provision for uncollectibles during year	16,048
Collection of accounts previously written off	3,387
Utility accounts	,,,,,,
Others	
Total additions	19,435
Deduct accounts written off during year:	
Utility accounts	(19,435)
Others	[(22,123)
Total accounts written off	(19,435)
Balance end of year	4,000

Particulars	Generation Related	Transmission Related	Distribution Related	Other	Balance end of year
Electric utility					3.7
Fuel	1		l i		
Other			· 1	•	
Total electric					
Water utility					
Sewer utility]
Gas utility - Propane					15,508
Merchandise					3,041
Other Materials & Supplies					32,017
Total Material & Supplies				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	50,566

GAS STORAGE (Acct. 164)

Particulars Particulars	Amount
Balance first of year	
Add:	
Commodity Storage Fees (164.11)	İ
Commodity Injection Fees (164.12)	1
Commodity Withdrawal Fees (164.13)	
Other Storage Fees (164.14)	
Gas Commodity Costs Transferred to Storage - Dr. (164.23 or 164.33)	1
Gas Transmission Expenses, Transferred to Storage - Dr. (164.53)	l l
Total additions	-
Deduct:	
Stored Gas Sold (164.16)	
Stored Gas Withdrawn for System Use (164.62)	
Stored Gas Forfeited (164.63)	
Total deductions	-
Balance end of year	-

PREPAYMENTS (Acct. 165)

Particulars	Balance end of year
Prepaid insurance	
Prepaid rents	1
Prepaid postage	1,608
Prepaid PSC of Wis. remainder assessment	9,286
Other prepayments (specify):	, in the second of the second
Pre-paid Billing Supplies	2,711
Pre-paid Gross Receipts Tax	74,627
Total	88,232

NET NON-UTILITY PROPERTY (Accts. 121-122)

y classes of property. Description	Balance first of year	Additions during year	Deductions during year	Balance end of year
Non-utility Property	145,442		145,442	
m. 1. property (121)	145,442		145,442	-
Total nonutility property (121)				<u>-</u>
ess accum. prov. for dep. & amort. (122) Net nonutility property	145,442	-	145,442	-

UNAMORT. DEBT DIS. & EXP. & PREMIUM ON DEBT (Accts. 181&251)

Report net discount and expense or premium separately for each security issue. Debt Issue to Which Related	Amount written off during year	Balance end of year
Unamortized debt discount and expense (181):		
Unamortized Debt Expense	742	494
Total (181)		494
Unamortized premium on debt (251):		
-NONE-		
Total (251)		

MISCELLANEOUS DEFERRED DEBITS (Accts. 182 & 183)

Describe major items included in these accounts.	Balance end of year
Name of account and description of item	
Extraordinary property losses (182):	
-NONE-	
Total (182)	
Other deferred debits (183):	50,669
Hammond Upgrade	48,358
Deferred Rate Case Expense	40,550
Total (183)	99,027

CAPITAL STOCK Accts. 201 and 204)

Particulars Particulars	Common Stock (201)	Preferred Stock (204)
Par or stated value per share	1.00	0
Total par value provided in articles of incorporation	500,000	ő
Total par value issued	316,916	٥
Dividends declared per share for year	515,710	0

RETAINED EARNINGS (Accts. 215-216)

Particulars	Appropriated -215	Unapprop'd -216
Balance first of year		692,322
Changes during year (explain):		0,2,322
Net Income - see F-1		47,010
Cash Dividends - see F-2		(102,963)
Balance end of year		636,369

LONG-TERM DEBT (Accts. 221, 223 and 224)

	Nom. date	Date of	Interest		Prin. amount
Description of obligation	of issue	maturity	Rate	Dates	per bal. sheet
Bonds (221):					
Total (221)	 				<u> </u>
Advances from affiliates (223):					
Total (223)					
Other long-term debt (224):					•
First Bank Eau Claire N.A.		Sept. 27, 2007	8.20%	Monthly	334,569
First Bank Eau Claire N.A.	Sept. 1, 2001	Sept. 1, 2004	0	Monthly	540,000
Land Contract			,		
Assessment for Public Improvement	Jan. 1, 1993	Jan. 1, 2002	5.00%	Yearly	1,039
Assessment for Water and Sewer	Jan. 1, 1996	Јап. 1, 2008	6.10%	Yearly	6,778
GMAC	March 31, 1999	March 31, 2002	2.90%	Monthly	4,326
Chrysler Finance	Feb. 1, 2000	Feb. 1, 2003	0	Monthly	6,023
Total (224)	1				892,735

NOTES AND ACCOUNTS PAYABLE (Accts. 231, 233 and 234)

Give description of notes including interest rates and dates of issue. Description	Amount
Notes payable (231): Firstar Bank of Eau Claire	93,583
Total (231)	93,583
Notes payable to associated companies (233):	
Total (233)	
Accounts payable to associated companies (234):	
Total (234)	

TAXES ACCRUED (Acct. 236)

Particulars	Water	Electric	Gas	Total
Balance first of year			33,005	######################################
Accruals charged during year:				
Wisconsin ad valorem tax				
Local property tax				<u>-</u>
State income tax				<u> </u>
Federal income tax				-
W.P.S.C. remainder assessment			-	-
Social Security taxes				• .
Other (specify):				-
State and Federal Excise				-
Total credits			22.005	22.005
Total			33,005	33,005
Taxes paid during year:				-
Wisconsin ad valorem tax				•
Local property tax				
State income tax			i	-
. Federal income tax				<u> </u>
W.P.S.C. remainder assessment				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Social Security taxes				-
Other (specify):				-
State and Federal Excise				-
				-
Total debits				-
Balance end of year			33,005	33,005

INTEREST ACCRUED (Acct. 237)

	Interest accrued bal.	Interest accrued	Interest paid	Interest accrued bal.
Description of Obligations	1st of year	during year	during year	end of year
Bonds (list each issue)				
Total				
Advances from assoc. companies				
Total				
Other long-term debt:				
Firstar Bank Eau Claire N.A.	0	34,426	34,426	0
	o			0
Other	0	573	573	0
Other	1	1,048	1,048	
Total	0	36,047	36,047	•
Notes payable:				
Firstar Bank Eau Claire N.A.	0	17,843	17,843	0
	0			0
	0	1		0
Total	0	17,843	17,843	0

ACCUM. DEFERRED INVESTMENT TAX CREDITS (Acct. 255)

Description	Bal. first of year	Charges during year	Credits during year	Bal. end of year
Electric				
Gas				
Water				
Heating				
Total utility				
Non-utility				
Total				

CONTRIBUTIONS IN AID OF CONSTRUCTION (Acct. 271)

			Charges d	uring year	
Class of utility service	Balance first of year	Credits during year	Acct. no. Credited	Amount	Balance end of year
Electric- Transmission					
Distribution	1				
Other					
Total					ļ
Gas	1				1
water		}			
Steam Heating			İ		
Total					

Turnsii particulais as to condece of anoware	es. Show final distribution of payroll including a OFFICER'S COMPENSATION	
Name	Official Title	Total compensation
Donald J. Piepgras Martha W. Piepgras Vernon Lindquist Judith G. Snoeyenbos	President and Treasurer Vice President & Sec'y Asst. Sec'y Asst. Treasurer	94,576 59,157 - 42,130
Total		195,863

DISTRIBUTION OF TOTAL PAYROLL

DISTRIBUTION OF TOTAL PATROLL		
Accounts Charged	Amount	
Water operating expenses		
Electric operating expenses		
Gas operating expenses	390,738	
Heating operating expenses		
Merchandising & jobbing	12,055	
Other nonutility expenses		
Utility plant accounts	63,497	
Accum. prov. for deprec. of plant		
Total all other accounts		
Total payroll	466,290	

IMPORTANT CHANGES DURING THE YEAR

Report changes of any of the following types:

- 1) Acquisitions, mergers, consolidation, or reorganization with other companies.
- 20 Details of new or significant changes in leasehold arrangements.
- 3) Estimated changes in revenues due to rate changes.
- 4) Obligations incurred or assumed, excluding commercial paper.
- 5) Changes in articles of incorporation or amendments to charter.
- 6) Docketed proceedings with the Commission.
- 7) Any additional matters.

see Appendix A "Notes to Financial Statements"

GAS OPERATING REVENUES AND EXPENSES (Class C and D)

GAS OPERATING R	Rate	1 11 11 11 10 1	Average	
	schedule	Therms	number	
	1	sold	customers	Amount
Particulars	designation	SOIU	Customers	Amount
OPERATING REVENUES				
SALES OF GAS		4 001 062	5,039	4,039,782
Residential sales (480)	Rg-1	4,921,063	3,039	4,039,782
 -				
Commercial and industrial sales (481)			400	1 000 000
	Cg-1	2,445,555	489	1,823,707
	Ig-1	256,993	4	145,506
	Ig-2	856,296	3	327,696
	1			
Sales for resale (483)				
	l i			
Interdepartmental sales (484)				
•				
Total sales of gas		8,479,907	5,535	6,336,691
OTHER GAS REVENUES				
Forfeited discounts (487)				28,108
Miscellaneous service revenues (488)		See page G-2		3,030
Transportation of gas of others (489)		511 P-81		
Rent from gas property (493)		See page G-2		-
Interdepartmental rents (494)		See page G-2		•
Other gas revenues (495)		See page G-2		555
Total other operating revenues				31,693
Total operating revenues				6,368,384
Total operating revenues				
OPERATING EXPENSES				6 062 220
Total operating and maintenance expenses		See page G-3		6,063,220
Depreciation expenses (403)				134,269
Amortization of limited-term utility plant (404)				26,952
Amortization of other utility plant (405)				
Amortization of utility plant acquisition adjustmen	ts (406)			
Amortization of property losses (407.1)				70.726
Taxes other than income taxes (408.1)		See page G-1		79,726
Income taxes (409.1)		See page G-2		-
Investment tax credits, deferred to future periods (412.1)			
Investment tax credits, restored to operating incom	e (412.2)			
Total operating expenses				6,304,167
Operating income				64,217

TAXES OTHER THAN INCOME TAXES (Acct. 408.1)

Description of Tax	Method used to allocate between departments	Amount
Property tax	N/A	3,034
Social Security	N/A	30,027
Wis. gross receipts tax	N/A	41,393
Others (specify):	N/A	
Wisconsin Remainder	N/A*	5,272
Total	·	79,726

INCOME TAXES (Acct. 409.1)

Federal N/A	
	1
State N/A	1

OTHER OPERATING REVENUES (Accts. 488, 493, 494 & 495)

Show separate totals for each account and explain major items of each account, grou	ping minor items by classes.
Particulars Particulars	Amoun
Miscellaneous service revenues (488)	
Tum on fees	3030
Total	3030
Rent from gas property (493)	
-NONE-	
Total	
Interdepartmental rents (494)	
-NONE-	
Total	
Other gas revenue (495)	
Sales tax discount	555
Total	555

INJURIES AND DAMAGES INSURANCE

What insurance coverage does utility carry for injury and damage claims of customers or the general public?

General Liability - \$1,000,000 - \$3,000,000

Umbrella Liability - \$2,000,000

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES (Class C and D)

Particulars	Operation Exp.	Mainten. Exp.
MANUFACTURED GAS PRODUCTION		
Supervision and labor (710)		
Fuel (724.1)		
Raw materials (729.1)		
Residuals producedcredit (731)		
Rents (736)	(70	
Supplies and expenses (737)	670	176
Maintenance of production plant (743)	(70)	176 176
Total manufactured gas production	670	1/6
OTHER GAS SUPPLY EXPENSES		
Natural gas purchases (804) - See G3.1 for detail.	5,217,602	
Purchased gas expenses (807)		
Gas used in utility operationcredit (812.1)	(281)	
Total other gas supply expenses	5,217,321	
DISTRIBUTION EXPENSES		
Supervision (870)	42,152	
Mains and service expense (874)	49,343	
Meter and house regulator expenses (878)	9,807	
Customer installation expenses (879)	2,750	····
Miscellaneous distribution expenses (880.1)	56,836	
Rents (881)		10.746
Maintenance of lines (892.1)		12,746
Maintenance of meters and house regulators (893)		17,604 11,312
Maintenance of other plant (895)	160,000	41,662
Total distribution expenses	160,888	41,002
CUSTOMER ACCOUNTS EXPENSES		
Meter reading expense (902)	80,538	
Customer Records and Collection Expense (903)	104,744	
Uncollectible accounts (904)	16,049	
Total customer accounts expenses	201,331	
CUSTOMER SERVICE EXPENSES		
Customer service & information expenses (906)	27,777	
SALES PROMOTION EXPENSES		
Sales expenses (917)		
ADMINISTRATIVE AND GENERAL EXPENSES		
Administrative and general salaries (920)	109,005	
Office supplies and other expenses (921)	41,194	
Administrative expense transferred credit (922)		
Outside services employed (923)	6,022	
Property insurance (924)	16,584	
Injuries and damages (925)	10,872	
Employee pensions and benefits (926)	97,419	
Franchise requirements (927)		
Regulatory commission expenses (928)	14,212	
Duplicate chargescr. (929)		
General advertising expenses (930.1)	150	
Miscellaneous general expenses (930.2)	24,368	
Rents (931)	66,266	
Transportation expenses (933)	10,397	
Maintenance of general plant (935)	16,906	
Total administrative and general expenses	413,395	-
Total administrative and general expenses Total operation and maintenance expenses	6,021,382	41,838

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NATURAL GAS PURCHASES - Acct. 804

Particulars	Amount
GAS PURCHASING EXPENSES (804.10)	
	2,595
Wages & Salaries (804.11)	
Supplies & Expenses (804.12)	
Misc. Expenses (804.13)	2,595
Total (804.10)	
PURCHASED GAS EXPENSES (804.20)	
Add:	12,719
Gas Contract Reservation Fees (804.21)	3,373,894
Gas Contract Commodity Costs (804.22)	1,178,059
Spot Purchases (804.23)	(922)
Other Purchases (804.24)	12,802
Gas Surcharges (804.25)	-
Financial Instruments Expense (804.26)	17,432
Gas Purchase Miscellaneous Expense (804.27)	4,593,984
Total additions	
Less Purchased Gas Sold - Cr. (804.32)	
Gas Commodity Costs, Transferred to Storage - Cr. (804.33) = (164.23 or 164.33)	
Gas Used in Operations - Cr. (804.34)	
Gas Used for Transmission Pumping & Compression - Cr. (804.35)	56,079
Total deductions	56,079
	4,537,905
Net end of year (804.20) GAS TRANSMISSION EXPENSES (804.40)	
	1
Add: Transmission Contract Reservation Fees (804.41)	581,589
Commodity Transmission Fees (804.42)	21,394
Gas Transmission Surcharges (804.43)	9,813
Gas Transmission Fuel Expense (804.44) = (804.35)	56,079
No Notice Service Fees (804.45)	15,814
Other Transmission Services Purchased (804.46)	-
Agency Fees and Expenses (804.47)	
Misc. Transmission Expenses (804.48)	
Penalties, Unauthorized Use and Overrun, Utility (804.49)	
Penalties, Unauthorized Use and Overrun, End-User (804.51)	
Total additions	684,689
Less	7.507
Transmission Services Sold - Cr. (804.52)	7,587
Gas Transmission Expense, Transferred to Storage - Cr. (804.53) = (164.53)	
Gas Transmission Expense, Used in Operations - Cr. (804.54)	7.507
Total deductions	7,587
Net end of year (804.40)	677,102
STORAGE GAS EXPENSE (804.60)	
Add:	
Storage Reservation Fees (804.61)	
Gas Costs from Storage (804.62) = (164.62)	-
Storage Penalties (804.63) = (164.63)	
Total additions	-
Less	
Storage Capacity Released or Sold (804.72)	
Total deductions	
Net end of year (804.60)	
	5,217,602
TOTAL - NATURAL GAS PURCHASES - Acct. 804	

GAS UTILITY PLANT IN SERVICE (Acct. 101) (Class C&D)

Account	Balance 1st of year
(a)	(b)
INTANGIBLE	
Organization (301) Franchises and consents (302)	2,18
	15,29
Miscellaneous intangible plant (303) Total intangible plant	-
	17,47
PRODUCTION	
Land and land rights (304)	12,40
Structures and improvements (305)	1
Liquefied petroleum gas equip. (311)	
Total production plant	12,410
Land and land rights (360)	-
Structures and improvements (361)	
Gas holders (362)	
Total storage plant	
TRANSMISSION	
st accounts:	-
a decounts.	
otal transmission plant	
DISTRIBUTION	<u>-</u>
and and land rights (374)	63,989
tructures and improvements (375)	274,716
Tains (376)	1,523,064
ompressor station equipment (377)	-
Ieas. and reg. sta. eq-gen'l. (378)	49,007
leas, and reg. sta. eqcty. gate (379)	52,489
ervices (380)	805,629
leters (381)	455,744
ouse regulators (383)	139,315
d. meas. and reg. sta. eq. (385)	48,295
operty on customers' premises (386)	9,760
Total distribution plant	3,422,008
ENERAL	
and and land rights (389)	500
ructures and improvements (390)	4,398
fice furniture and equipment (391)	316,487
ansportation equipment (392)	90,978
ores equipment (393)	-
ols, shop and garage equipment (394)	39,725
boratory equipment (395)	<u>-</u>
wer-operated equipment (396)	98,631
mmunication equipment (397)	14,948
scellaneous equipment (398)	-
her tangible property (399)	
Total general property	565,667
Total gas utility plant	4,017,560

GAS UTILITY PLANT IN SERVICE (Acct. 101) (Class C&D)

ide in column (e) entries reclass	ifying property from one account to a	Adjustments increase	
		Aujustinents mereuse	Balance end of year
Additions during year	Retirements during year	or (decrease)	(f)
(c)	(d)	(e)	(1)
, ,			
İ	i i		2,18
21,917			37,2
12,175			12,1
34,092			51,50
34,022			-
i			12,40
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	-	_	12,4
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·		•	
	İ		-
			63,9
			274,7 2,132,8
621,507	11,760		2,132,6
			82,8
33,837			54,4
1,951			852,2
48,609	1,960		528,3
77,811	5,162		156,3
17,001			48,7
406			11,6
1,890			4,206,1
803,012	18,882		4,200,1
			2
			5 4, 3 321, 4
5,938	944		321,4
21,638			112,6
			39,7
			98,6
			14,9
27,576	944	-	592,2
864,680	19,826	-	4,862,4

SUMMARY OF GAS ACCOUNT

Report below the specified information for each operating	area constituting a separate g	as system	
	Total		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	all system	System	System
Particulars Particulars	therms	therms	therms
(a)	(b)	©	(d)
System Name		Hammond	Prescott
Gas produced (gross):			
Propane-air	0	0	
other gas			
Total gas produced	0	0	
Gas purchased:			
Natural	8,445,900	726,290	1,781,570
Other gas			
Total gas purchased	8,445,900	726,290	1,781,570
Less: Gas delivered to storage			
Total (lines 14+18+19-20)	8,445,900	726,290	1,781,570
Transport gas received		,.,,	1,701,570
Total gas del. to mains (lines 21+22)	8,445,900	726,290	1,781,570
Gas sold (incl. interdepartmental)	8,479,907	729,214	1,788,743
Gas used by utility			1,700,715
Transport gas delivered			
Total (lines 24+25+26)	8,479,907	729,214	1,788,743
Gas unaccounted for (line 23-27)	(34,007)	(2,924)	(7,173)

SUMMARY OF SYSTEM LOAD STATISTICS

Report below the data specified for each operating area constit	uting a separate gas syste		·
Particulars	Total all system therms	System	System therms
(a)	(b)	©	(d)
System Name		Hammond	Prescott
Maximum send-out in any one day	63,220	6,070	14,600
Date of such maximum (mo./day/yr.)	2/1/01	2/1/01	2/1/01
Maximum daily capacity			
Total manufactured-gas production capacity			
Liquefied natural gas storage capacity			
Maximum daily purchase capacity	86000	5670	18620
Total maximum daily capacity: production			
liquefied natural gas storage, and purchases	86000	5670	18620
Monthly send-out: January	1345050	123,480	309,930
February	1370280	132,120	319,060
March	1062260	101,750	243,210
April	583170	50,050	124,090
May	350930	25,230	60,130
June	278720	13,960	41,070
July	305650	12,500	34,670
August	323560	13,420	34,390
September	336470	20,200	91,190
October	669590	57,150	141,770
November	677360	59,410	126,730
December	1142460	117,020	255,330
Total send-out	8,445,500	726,290	1,781,570

SUMMARY OF GAS ACCOUNT (Cont.)

System therms (e)	System therms (f)	System therms (g)	System therms (h)	System therms (I)	System therms (j)
River Falls			·		
0					
0					
5,938,040					
5,938,040					
5,938,040					
5,938,040					
5,961,950					
5,961,950 (23,910)					

SUMMARY OF SYSTEM LOAD STATISTICS (Cont.)

System therms (e)	System therms (f)	System therms (g)	System therms (h)	System therms (I)	System therms (j)
River Falls					
42,550					· ·
2/1/01					
61710					
61710					
911,640					
919,100				ļ	
717,300				<u> </u>	
409,030			<u> </u>		
265,570					
223,690					
258,480					
275,750					
225,080					
470,670					
491,220					
770,110					

MANUFACTURED GAS PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT

Where data are requested for each item of equipment, the number of	f items of each size or descrip	otion should be show	'n.
Particulars Particulars	Plant	Plant	Plant
LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM APPARATUS			
Plant name	Ĭ.		River Falls
Number of tanks for storing liquefied petroleum gas			2
Total capacity in gallons			60,000
OTHER GAS PRODUCTION APPARATUS			00,000
Type	j		
Total maximum daily capacity			500 MCF
Description (specify appropriate data):			300 14161
This plant will be retired in 2002			

GAS PRODUCTION STATISTICS

Location of plant (a)	Type of plant (b)	Maximum daily capacity Therms (c)	Therms produced during year (d)	Total investment end of year (e)	Total production expense for year (f)
River Falls, WI	Propane	5000	0		0
TOTAL		5000			0

GAS HOLDERS

PURCHASED GAS

Report below the specified information for each point of metering	IDED GIID				
Particulars		1			
(a)	(b)		(c)		(d)
Name of vendor		Tra	nscanada/BP		
Point of metering		Ha	mmond TBS		
Type of gas purchased			Natural		
Therms of gas purchased per pipeline rate schedules:			726,290		
Therms of gas purchased per piperine rate selections.					
Total cost of gas purchased		\$	448,411		
Average cost per therm of gas purchased					
per pipeline rate schedules:		\$	0.6174		
per piperine rate senedules.					
Maximum therms purchased in any one day			6,070		
Date of such maximum purchase (day/mo./yr.)			2/1/01		
Average B.t.u. content per cu. ft. of gas			1.010		
Name of vendor		Tra	nscanada/BP		
Name of vendor		Pı	rescott TBS		
Type of gas purchased			Natural		
Therms of gas purchased per pipeline rate schedules:			1,781,570		
Total cost of gas purchased		\$	1,099,941		
Average cost per therm of gas purchased					
per pipeline rate schedules:		\$	0.6174		
Maximum therms purchased in any one day			14,600		
Date of such maximum purchase (day/mo./yr.)			2/1/01		
Average B.t.u. content per cu. ft. of gas			1.010		
Name of vendor		Transcanada/BP			
Point of metering				Riv	er Falls WGC
Type of gas purchased		Natural			Natural
Therms of gas purchased per pipeline rate schedules:			5,886,390		51,6 <i>5</i> 0
					01 000 00
Total cost of gas purchased		\$	3,634,257	\$	31,889.00
Average cost per therm of gas purchased			0.6174		0.61.74
per pipeline rate schedules:		\$	0.6174	\$	0.61 74
	ļ	-	42,550		7,670
Maximum therms purchased in any one day			2/1/01		02/01 /01
Date of such maximum purchase (day/mo./yr.) Average B.t.u. content per cu. ft. of gas			1.010	\vdash	1.0 10

TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION MAINS

Report the information specified regarding mains for each operating area constituting a separate gas system.

Report the data for each size and type of pipe separately under each system.

	1	Į.	Number of feet			
	Size of	Type of	First of	Added	Retired	End of
System	pipe	pipe	year	during year	during year	year
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
Hammond	3/4"	Plastic	479	230		
	1 1/4 "	Plastic	3,301	6,433		9,
	2"	Plastic	23,205	7,528		30,
	1"	Steel	385			
	2"	Steel	17,800			17,
	3"	Steel	2,174			2,
Prescott	3/4"	Plastic	846		184	
	1 1/4"	Plastic	4,156	870		5,0
	2"	Plastic	65,590	1,784		67,
	4"	Plastic	2,884			2,
	3/4"	Steel	520			
	1 1/2"	Steel	1,982			1,9
	2"	Steel	35,608			35,0
	3"	Steel	8,314			8,:
	4"	Steel	3,068			3,0
	6"	Steel	3,546			3,:
iver Falls	1/2 "	Plastic	100			
	3/4"	Plastic	5,911	440		6,3
	1 1/4"	Plastic	24,233	12,596		36,8
	2"	Plastic	241,234	31,940	390	272,7
	4"	Plastic	60,000			60,0
	6"	Plastic	7,784			7,7
	3/4"	Steel	147			1
	1"	Steel	1,644			1,6
	1 1/2"	Steel	457			4
	2"	Steel	88,680			88,6
	3"	Steel	12,409			12,4
	4"	Steel	2,677	29,040		31,7
	6"	Steel	13,791			13,7
	8"	Steel	9,987			9,9
OTALS			642,912	90,861	574	733,19

NAMES OF CITIES, VILLAGES AND TOWNS

NUMBER OF CUSTOMERS IN EACH SUPPLIED DIRECTLY WITH GAS BY REPORTING UTILITY AT END OF YEAR Report in alphabetical order first, cities, and second, incorporated villages. Next, Report towns in alphabetical order under each county, also listed in alphabetical order. Show total for each group and for total company. (CLASS C & D)

Location	Customers end of year	Location	Customers end of year
(a)	(b)	(a)	(b)
Cities		Towns	
Hammond (St. Croix Cty.)	553	Town of Clifton	93
Prescott (Pierce Cty.)	1,282	Town of River Falls	139
River Falls (St. Croix Cty.)	600	Town of Troy	515
River Falls, (Pierce Cty.)	2,502		
Total Customers, cities	4,937	Total customers, towns	747
		Total customers, company	5,684

GAS SERVICES

Number	of services should inc	lude only those owne	d by utility			
	Number added during year		Number retired during year		Total services end of year	
		On customers		On customers		On customers
Size	Main to curb	premises	Main to curb	premises	Main to curb	premises
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
1/2"	308	308	2	2	2,170	2,170
3/4"	2	2	15	15	3,418	3,418
1"					7	7
1 1/2"					10	10
2"			1	1	53	53
4"					2	2
6"					1	1
Total	310	e 12 % (s. 1, 13)10	· in · in · in · in · in · in · in · in	18	v 3,661	11.57.66 In
Have ina	ctive services been re	tired in accordance wi	th requirements of pa	aragraph C of Account	380	
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		sconnected from the g		nce		
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GAS METERS

Number end of year
(b)
5,711
15
24
10 A.S. P. P. B. B. B. T. 60
66
4
5,680
14,24,24,25,750
5,726
5,150

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Attach to this sheet a map or maps of the territory served, showing location & company designation of points of purchase, production plants, large compressor stations and transmission lines. Show also the names of larger communities served and the boundaries of the utilities operating divisions.